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## **Escaped Inmate Taariq Ali (Wendell Husser) Apprehended Friday Night**

A Delaware prisoner who escaped from a private transport company security escort at the Philadelphia International Airport on Sept. 12 was apprehended Friday night in Elkton, Maryland.

Taariq Ali (aka Wendell Husser) was captured by personnel of the US Marshals Service at approximately 8:30 p.m.

The investigation led Marshals to 108 Delaware Avenue in Elkton, MD. After conducting interviews at that location, Marshals searched the residence and arrested Ali without incident or injury in a first floor bedroom. Other members of the apprehension task force involved in the investigation included personnel from the Delaware Department of Correction Emergency Response Team, Department of Correction Probation and Parole, Delaware State Police and Wilmington Police.

Ali was serving a Life sentence for Attempted Murder 1<sup>st</sup> and Possession of a Deadly Weapon During the Commission of a Felony, and was transferred to California in 1995 as part of an Interstate Corrections Compact. He was being returned to Delaware when he managed to escape from the security escort at Philadelphia airport.

Ali has been transported to the James T. Vaughn Correctional Center near Smyrna, Delaware, where he has been placed in maximum security.

There is no additional information available at this time.

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